

UNION OF FARMERS WILL BE PRESSED.

Much Enthusiasm Shown in Atlanta Meeting.—Speakers to Make Tours.

The State.

The delegation from South Carolina which attended the meeting in Atlanta on Wednesday and Thursday of the board of directors of the American Cotton Association returned yesterday delighted with the progress made in the organization of that body. An enormous amount of constructive work, they say, was accomplished at the Atlanta meeting.

Contracts were made by the directors and complete plans mapped out for the organization of the entire cotton belt. Whirlwind membership campaigns will be conducted in each State by expert organizers. The organization of the entire belt will be directed from Atlanta, which was chosen as campaign headquarters after a stiff fight between that city, Memphis and Dallas.

The organization of the association will extend down to the school districts and townships. The American Cotton Association will be the organization covering the entire belt while each State will have a State association, which will be an integral part of the American association. The South Carolina Cotton Association will be the name of the State association in South Carolina and it will have representation in the American association, which will be in the parent body.

Plans of Association.

Plans were made by the directors of the association for the launching of an ambitious program for the betterment of the cotton producers of the South. A mammoth meeting with representatives from every county in the entire cotton belt will be held probably early in September for the purpose of receiving reports on supply and demand, agreeing on a minimum price at which the growing cotton crop will be sold, agreeing upon acreage to be planted in cotton in 1920, this acreage being based upon supply and demand figures produced by officers of the association.

"The association," said J. Skottowe Wannamaker, president, yesterday, "is determined that under no condition will its members again produce cotton for the purpose of piling up surpluses which have been used by the New England and foreign spinners for the purpose of beating down prices, creating distressed cotton and forcing the producer to part with his cotton below the cost of production. The farms of the South will be operated upon a business basis, sufficient food and feed crops will be planted for the consumption of the producer and the local markets cotton being planted only as a surplus crop."

"The campaign for State owned and State controlled warehouses will be pushed in every county in the cotton belt. Temporary offices have been established in Atlanta. Members of the association are making sacrifices of time and means to push to completion this organization, as they realize that no sacrifice is too great that it can be used as an excuse for not giving freely of time and service in this great cause."

"A meeting of the special board on organization will be held in Atlanta on August 4."

South Carolina Campaign.

South Carolina will be the first State in the cotton belt to organize. The preliminary preparations for the campaign in this State are already being made under the direction of B. F. McLeod, a well known business man of Charleston, who is State manager, and A. P. Protzman, organization director. Mr. Protzman managed the United War Work campaign for funds in this State and the State heavily oversubscribed its allotment. He also very successfully managed the Jewish War Relief drive in this State. He has had years of experience in organization business. Confidence is expressed by Mr. Protzman that the drive for membership in the South Carolina Cotton Association will be a success.

"I apprehend that we will have no difficulty in showing the farmer, the merchant, the banker and the professional business man that the perfection of the organization of the cotton association will mean much to the South," said Mr. Protzman yesterday. "The association has a very ambitious program. If carried out it will result in untold benefit not alone to the cotton producer, but to the other people of the South as well."

Farmers, bankers, merchants and professional men of the South will be asked to join the association.

Meetings Scheduled.

Meetings for next Wednesday and Thursday have been scheduled in Greenville, Spartanburg and Anderson.

The meeting at Anderson will be held Wednesday morning at 11:30 o'clock in the court house. The meeting at Greenville will be held Thurs-

PLENTY OF SUGAR IN UNITED STATES.

President of Equalization Board Says Price Should Not Exceed Eleven Cents.

New York, July 25.—

The war department has sold to the United States sugar equalization board 37,000,000 pounds of refined sugar, it was announced here today by George A. Zabriskie, president of the board, who declared there is "abundance" of raw sugar in the country, that retail prices should not exceed 11 cents a pound and that there is no need of hoarding.

The head of the sugar equalization board said that profiteering dealers, if reported, may suffer revocation of their licenses for they are still under the control of the federal food administration, who will not cease to function until the senate signs the peace treaty. He charged the apparent shortage to "speculative exporters" and belated orders from canners and candy makers. Housewives were "hoarding" sugar unnecessarily, he said. New England having refined sugar stocks sufficient to last six months.

Sugar is abundant in the United States and if it were not for profiteers and nervous housewives encouraged to hoard it there would be enough for every legitimate demand and a 30 days reserve supply in addition, declared Mr. Zabriskie.

"The chief factor in this apparent shortage, which is temporary," he said, "has been the belated orders of big fruit canneries and confectionery factories which failed to anticipate their normal demands and held off ordering their sugar in the expectation that prices would be lower. They knew the refiners could not sell above the fixed price of 9 cents."

"Another element that, as yet, has not affected the situation, is the marine workers' strike, which we hope will be settled before the entire fleet of sugar ships is tied up in Atlantic and Gulf ports. Meanwhile, we are reaching by radio at sea all the vessels possible and diverting them to Cuba to bring back raw sugar."

"There is at present," Mr. Zabriskie said, "no shortage of raw sugar. The difficulty now is the capacity of the refineries. Of the 2,630,000 tons the United States sugar board contracted to purchase from Cuba we had still to receive on July 1 no less than 1,100,000 tons. In addition to this we have access to 1,970,000 more tons, including the best sugar, which will begin to come in about October 1 and the big cane crops of Louisiana and the insular possessions of the United States."

"The situation is entirely satisfactory so far as the raw material is concerned and I know the refiners are doing their part for their plants have been operating night and day, and some on Sundays for months past. In those parts of the country where local shortages exist it is true, there is an inclination to profiteer, but it is easy to fix the blame for that. The refiner can not sell sugar for more than 9 cents a pound. The wholesaler is obliged to ask a minimum profit of 35 cents; so that the retailer does not pay more than \$9.35 a hundred. Every body, therefore, would be able to buy sugar at a maximum of 11 cents a pound and I know of chain stores selling it today for less than 10 cents."

Flatbush—Do animals yawn?
Bensonhurst—Of course they do.
Flatbush—How do you know?
Bensonhurst—Why, I saw my horse yawn today.

Flatbush—What were you doing?
Talking to him?—Yonkers Statesman.

day morning in the court house and the meeting at Spartanburg will be held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the court house. Addresses at these meetings will be made by J. Skottowe Wannamaker, president of the American Cotton Association; B. Harris, commissioner of agriculture, and others.

To Assist Other States.

B. Harris, commissioner of agriculture, will go to Oklahoma shortly on a speaking tour in behalf of the association. R. M. Mixon of Williston will go to Texas on a similar mission. Messrs. Harris and Mixon are members of the central committee of the South Carolina Cotton Association and have taken active parts in the formation of the American Cotton Association.

South Carolina's delegation at the Atlanta meeting included J. Skottowe Wannamaker, St. Matthews; J. H. Claffy, Orangeburg; T. J. Britt, McCormick; John T. Mackey, Camden; B. F. McLeod, Charleston; R. M. Mixon, Williston; B. Harris, Columbia, all members of the board of directors; A. A. Protzman, South Carolina organization director; Mrs. E. R. Clinkscale, secretary of the South Carolina Cotton Association, and Harold C. Booker, publicity chairman of the South Carolina association.

NEWBERRY COUNTY S. S. SONVENTION.

(By Mrs. Francis Rawl Morris.)

The Newberry County Sunday School Association held its annual Convention at Colony Lutheran church Friday, July 18. Twenty-three Sunday schools were represented. The convention keyword was "Victory."

I. H. Hunt of Newberry presided over the convention, T. A. Dominick of Prosperity was secretary and treasurer.

The program opened with a song service, after which the Rev. L. P. Boland offered prayer. A brief Bible message "Preparation of Victory" was given by the Rev. J. W. Carson, D. D. Dr. Carson showed in a clear forceful way that a true soldier of Christ, in order to win the Victory, must have Faith, Courage, Consecration and Love.

O. B. Cannon Superintendent of the Newberry schools, gave a practical talk on "How to Double the Attendance." The points brought out by Prof. Cannon were to make enrollment of everybody in the district from the cradle to old age—the grave. Organize the "outside class," the ones who do not belong to any Sunday School, into a lecture class. Enlist everybody in some school regardless of denomination.

Hold pupils in the school after they enlist. Much depends here on the teacher who should know: (1) Whom he would teach, (2) What he would teach, (3) How he would teach.

Miss Cora Holland of Spartanburg, one of the State workers, gave an interesting discussion of "Our Wants or Their Needs." Miss Holland showed how Sunday School programs are often planned from the adult viewpoint and not from the child. She made a strong plea for the child's needs and comforts. She stated that there are 13,000,000 children in North America under 12 years of age who are receiving no Christian training.

At the close of the morning session a basket dinner was served on the church ground.

The afternoon session began with a song service after which the Rev. S. P. Koon gave a Bible message on "Power for Victory." Mr. Koon presented as his outline: (1) We must have Victory, (2) We must have Power to be victorious. Christ is the power. Holy spirit is the medium through which this power works.

Reports were then given by the County and District officers.

R. D. Webb, Secretary of the South Carolina Sunday School Association, discussed at length "A Victory Sunday School." He said we should have a "Big Victory" for our object. Two things are important: To get the people and to hold them. In order to have victory in the Sunday School, it is necessary (1) To have a proper conception of Sunday School, (2) To have progressive minds, (3) There must be willingness to work. Mr. Webb gave a chalk talk on getting people in the Sunday school and holding them there. He used in his blackboard outline these thoughts:

1. Find the people.
2. Furnish them with information and good literature.
3. Fetch them to Sunday school.
4. Feed them—not fool them—by (a) superintendent have a prepared program; (b) teacher being prepared; (c) using graded lessons.
5. Fasten them—tie them there by giving them something to do that they can do.
6. Finish them—put on them the finishing touches of a strong Christian life.

When the Sunday school does the above things it will be a victory Sunday school.

Reports of committees were given. The following officers were elected to serve another year:

President, Arthurs Kibler; vice president, O. B. Cannon; secretary-treasurer, C. M. Wilson; division superintendents, children's department, Mrs. H. L. Parr; intermediate department, Mrs. J. H. West; adult department, O. B. Cannon; administrative superintendent, B. V. Chapman; district presidents: No. 1, C. H. Cannon; No. 2 and 3, Dr. W. C. Brown; No. 4, E. E. Child; No. 5, Birge Albritton; No. 6, Dr. W. D. Senn; No. 7 and 8, J. L. Fellers; No. 9, Rev. J. A. McKeown; No. 10 and 11, T. J. Wilson.

It was moved and carried that the Newberry county association give \$400.00 to State work. The following were elected to serve on this financial committee: W. H. Hunt, chairman; Geo. W. Summer, Dr. W. D. Senn, O. B. Cannon, James F. Epting, Mrs. H. H. Blease, Mrs. H. L. Parr, Mrs. Arthur Kibler.

The association will meet next year at Smyrna Presbyterian church.

H. H. Blease offered the following resolutions which were unanimously accepted:

Thanks are due and are hereby tendered to the officers of the association, to all who have taken part on the program, to the people and pastor of Colony community, to the

committee who furnished such a fine dinner.

A motion was carried to hold a one-day convention and later in the year to hold a one-day institute. Newberry county received a blue ribbon for having paid one-half of her State pledge for another year.

The last talk was made by Miss Cora Holland, her subject being "Three in One." She gave it as a chalk talk on the work of the adult division. She said there were 67,782 organized adult classes in 1918. Nearly 1,000,000 are enrolled in the home department. There is a great need nowadays for parent teaching. The closing prayer and benediction were given by Dr. Carson.

An adjustable sub-frame has been invented by an Ohio man to enable a standard type of motor truck body to be fitted to trucks of different widths and lengths.

BIDS INVITED.

The Board of County Commissioners for Newberry County will receive sealed bids until July 31, 1919, for the following supplies to be delivered at Newberry, S. C., from time to time as called for, from August 1, 1919, to November 1, 1919, and in the approximate amounts as shown below. Only bids on all items will be received. Contract to be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. Right reserved to reject any and all bids.

- 312 bushels feed oats.
- 150 bushels feed corn.
- 3 barrels first patent flour in cloth.
- 50 gallons good molasses.
- 8 pounds Luzianne coffee.
- 2 tons mixed feed.
- 10 tons No. 1 Timothy hay.
- 700 pounds fat backs.
- 200 pounds table salt.
- 1 case soda.
- 75 bushels corn meal.
- 2 cases salmon.
- 2 cases tripe.
- 100 pounds Brown Mule chewing tobacco.
- 50 pounds sugar.
- 100 pounds ham.
- 15 bushels cow peas.
- 12 boxes 5 cent pepper.
- 50 pounds compound lard.

Separate bids for 50,000 to 100,000 feet of white or post oak or long leaf pine lumber.

J. C. Sample, County Supervisor.

7-22-3t.

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J. Pope Connelly is a candidate for cotton weigher at Chappells in the coming election for that position and will abide the result of the said election. 7-8-tf.

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NOTICE.

Cotton Weigher's association of Pomaria will have a meeting on July 25, 1919, at 5 o'clock p. m., to transact all such business that may come before it. Election of officers and so forth.

Candidates for weigher will file their pledges and pay assessment on or before noon, July 29, 1919, pursuant to an election to be held on the 5th day of August, 1919.

Jos. A. Alewine, President.
D. L. Wedaman, Secretary and Treasurer.
7-18-3t.

NOTICE FINAL SETTLEMENT.

I will make a final settlement of the estate of Lester Shealy in the Probate Court for Newberry County, S. C., on Wednesday, the 6th day of August, 1919, at 10 o'clock in the

forenoon and will immediately thereafter ask for my discharge as guardian of said estate.

W. M. Chapman.
Newberry, S. C., July 5, 1919.

WOMEN GIVE OUT.

Housework is hard enough when healthy. Every Newberry woman who is having backache, blue and nervous spells, dizzy headaches and kidney or bladder troubles, should be glad to heed this Newberry woman's experience:

Mrs. W. Alewine, 609 Drayton St. says: "About two years ago I had a bad attack of kidney trouble. My back ached and I was all worn out. Dizzy spells often came over me and black specks came before my eyes. I was tired and lame and didn't feel like doing my work. When I bent over, I could hardly straighten, my back would hurt so. My head ached so I thought it would split and I was nervous and just about able to drag myself around. Learning of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got some and they relieved me right away. Continued use entirely cured me and I am glad to give this endorsement." 60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

1844 Condensed Statement OF The National Bank of Newberry Newberry, South Carolina From report to the Comptroller of the Currency Showing Condition at the Close of Business June 30, 1919

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Investments . . .	\$1,020,518.48	Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Liberty Bonds and Treasury Certificates of Indebtedness . . .	207,210.00	Surplus and Undivided Profits . .	28,294.10
United States Bonds	100,000.00	Circulation	96,800.00
Cash and due from Banks and United States Treasury . . .	126,697.79	Deposits	770,083.33
	\$1,454,426.27	Dividends unpaid	5,052.00
		Bills Payable (secured by Liberty Bonds)	192,000.00
		Bills Payable and Rediscounts .	262,196.84
			\$1,454,426.27

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